

## CRONIN MURDER TRIAL.

The Examination of Witnesses Has Commenced.

### IDENTIFICATION OF THE CORPSE.

Witnesses swear that the body of the man found in the Cutch-Bain last May was that of Dr. Cronin. The bloody trunk in readiness for production before the jury.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The crowd of curious people who daily surround the entrance to Judge McConnel's court room, seeking to see the examination of the body of the man found in the Cutch-Bain last May, was today increased by the presence of a large number of witnesses. When Capt. Schuttler and a half dozen of his officers drove up the East Chicago avenue, a large crowd of men and women gathered around the vehicle. In the wagon there was something carefully covered with a large blanket. What it was nobody knew, but from the fact that there seemed to be some mystery about it, the crowd felt that an object of great interest was to be seen if the blanket were only removed.

Taken into Judge Longenecker's Office. Capt. Schuttler jumped out of the wagon and went straight to the state's attorney's office, where he remained for a few minutes. When he again appeared he had the bloody trunk in his hand. He went to the state's attorney's office, where he remained for a few minutes. When he again appeared he had the bloody trunk in his hand. He went to the state's attorney's office, where he remained for a few minutes. When he again appeared he had the bloody trunk in his hand.

The Examination of Witnesses. Mr. Mills began the examination of witnesses Friday morning. He called Dr. Cronin, a witness in the case, and asked him to identify the body of the man found in the Cutch-Bain last May. Dr. Cronin testified that he had seen the body of the man found in the Cutch-Bain last May, and that it was the body of Dr. Cronin.

By the foreman, the hair, the nose, the teeth, the hands, an injured finger, and the general appearance. "What you fairly existed in the teeth?" "The teeth were peculiar. Dr. Cronin had large teeth and they were white apart. Four of his front teeth in the lower jaw were missing. He had a small gold tooth in the upper jaw. One tooth on the right side was missing."

### INDIANA'S LIEN LAW.

A Decision of Interest to Mechanics and Contractors. INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 25.—Judge Taylor, of the supreme court, rendered a decision of considerable importance to mechanics and contractors under the lien law Thursday. By the law of 1887, a mechanic, performing labor for a contractor to acquire a lien upon the property he was employed, before he could sue the contractor to pay for the work done, he was required to notify the owner that he was performing the work for the contractor, failing to give such notice he could acquire no lien upon the property by any proceedings.

### THE SPRING VALLEY MINERS.

Only a Small Matter at Issue Between Operators and Men. SPRING VALLEY, Ill., Oct. 25.—Thursday night the miners assembled in mass-meeting and passed a resolution to accept from now till May 1, 1890, \$2 1/2 c's a ton, twenty-four inches of crushing, two men in a room, and no contracts. The proposition was telegraphed to Mr. W. L. Scott, president of the Spring Valley Coal company. He replied that it was all acceptable to him except that portion of the plan referring to contracts. He said he would insist on the contracts, and would not recognize any committees. It is thought that the miners may relinquish that part in regard to committees, but will strenuously object to signing contracts. Another meeting of the miners was held to consider the operators' offer. The miners have made heavy concessions, until now but a small matter remains at issue between them.

### Sold to an English Syndicate.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 25.—The Indianapolis Cabinet company, whose plant covers four and a half acres in this city, has been sold to an English syndicate, headed by Sir John Marshall. The syndicate has entrusted the business to the American managing committee, consisting of Theodore P. Haughey, banker; John Roberts and Francis A. Coffin, the two latter of the old company, and all of this city. There was paid for the plant \$125,000, of which \$200,000 was in cash. The business is in a prosperous condition, and bonds sold by the syndicate brought 3 per cent. premium.

### A 15-Year-Old Murderer.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Sheriff J. B. Mauner, of Coshocton county, brought to the reform school for boys Thursday Charles Schulzmann, aged 15, convicted of manslaughter, his victim being a schoolmate, Frank Friday, aged 8. The boys quarreled at school, Schulzmann throwing Friday to the ground and stamping on him, inflicting injuries which resulted in death in a few hours.

### Died of Their Injuries.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Three of the men injured by the explosion of one of the boilers of the Cunard steamship Cephalonia Thursday, have since died and another is in a very critical condition.

## TRAIN-WRECKERS IN INDIANA.

Several People Hurt at Kell's Station—No One Killed.

WABASH, Ind., Oct. 25.—The fast east-bound passenger train on the Wabash road was wrecked Thursday night at Kell's station, five miles west of this city. There is a heavy grade at that place and the train was running forty miles an hour when Engineer George King saw that the switch was partly thrown. He immediately applied the air-brakes, but there was no time to check the train. The engine, baggage car, and express car left the track and bogged along the side for about forty rods. The engine turned over and the baggage car was hurled down the embankment, a distance of thirty feet.

### Miraculous Escapes.

The engineer and fireman, Charley Dixon, clinging to their places in the cab, which was hurled to the ground, escaped by the baggage car. The smoker, chair car, and Wagner sleeper kept the track, but they were all shaken by the engine in passing and were considerably damaged, the front end of the smoker being carried away in striking the engine. Some of the passengers were slightly injured, and their escape was certainly miraculous. One man was seated in the front of the smoker and was hurled backward by the blow which carried away that part of the car.

### A Piece for the Engineer and Fireman.

Engineer King was pulled out of the cab by a piece of iron which had been broken. King was badly lacerated. A double-headed fireman named William Hutchins, of Logansport, was injured. Pacific Express Agent Frank Brown, of Toledo, was found under a pile of trunks. Together with baggage-master Gilbert Myers. Both men were badly injured. The car is a total wreck. An investigation showed that the switch had been broken by train wreckers, the powder with which the lock was pounded being found close by. A purse was made up by the passengers for the engineer and fireman.

### Serious Train Wreck in Iowa.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 25.—The Journal-Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 25.—A big wreck is reported on the Milwaukee and St. Paul, between Cedar Lake and Algona, but no particulars are yet obtainable.

### Three Killed in a Wreck.

PORTLAND, Oct. 25.—A freight train on the Lake Erie and Western railroad ran into an obstruction near Kalamazoo, Mich., Friday morning and was badly wrecked. An oil tank exploded and fourteen oil tanks were consumed. Engineer Jake Mehl, Fireman Edward Barnard and Brakeman John Speltz were in the cab of the engine and were instantly killed.

### Railroad Official in a Wreck.

GRAND RAPIDS, N. D., Oct. 25.—A special train containing J. J. Hill, president of the Manitoba railroad, on route west, met with an accident early Friday morning, near here, through a misplaced switch at the junction of a branch line. The train, but no one was injured.

### SHE WAS WELL ARMED.

Attempt of a Woman to Maim a Man Whose Wife She Claimed to Be. CALUMET, N. W. T., Oct. 25.—Thursday night one of the most dramatic plots ever concocted in Canada was discovered and frustrated at Calumet, forty miles west of here. Some time ago Robert Scott, a general merchant of that place, received information that a woman named Mrs. Tough, who resides here and alleges she is Scott's wife, was going to make an attempt on his life. Scott notified the police, who watched the incoming train Wednesday night. A person got off the west-bound train at Calumet, dressed in a woman's clothing, and made for Scott's store. A policeman followed her. When about to dash into the store she was seized from behind. The person turned out to be Mrs. Tough. She had a revolver, a knife, a bottle of vitriol, a gun, two razors, and two self-cocking revolvers. It was her intention to burn out his eyes with vitriol and then off his ears and nose.

### Commissioner Ruess's Daughter Married.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 25.—Miss Maria Ruess, daughter of the commissioner of pensions, was Thursday afternoon married to Lieut. Frank B. Moss of the United States Marine corps. The ceremony was performed at Commissioner Ruess's residence by the Rev. Mr. Barrett, of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. Only the high contracting parties and their relatives were present. The newly-made man and wife left early in the evening for New York city for a honeymoon tour of some duration, after which they will return to this city. Lieut. Moss, the bridegroom, is detailed at the navy yard in this city.

### Executive Clemency.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 25.—The president has commuted the sentence of Palmer B. Wells, Jr., of New York, convicted of violation of postal laws, sentenced to six months' imprisonment, to one year of actual imprisonment. In the case of Henry Schwegler, fined \$500 and costs for assaulting a United States internal revenue officer, the sentence was commuted to \$300 fine and costs. An absolute pardon was granted to C. C. Throck, convicted of polygamy in Utah and sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500.

### The Governor Will Settle It.

EAC CLARK, Wis., Oct. 25.—Capt. McMaster, an ex-West-Pointer, commanding Company E, Third regiment of this city, issued orders Thursday night abolishing the civil organization of the company on the ground that it is wholly unnecessary, and that he is supreme within the company. He also announced his resignation. The other officers claim that the captain possesses no power of abolition, and that the company is a body of great interest to the National guards will go to the governor for settlement.

### A Judge's Seathing Remarks.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Judge Soldiers Friday sentenced Charles Roberts to fifteen years in the penitentiary for criminally assaulting an 11-year-old girl in July last. In pronouncing sentence the judge said: "Roberts, you are in society a hyena—a bloodhound on the track of innocent girls. It is well for you that your crime is not as it once was in England, punishable by death. If it were, I should sentence you to the block."

### A Recently Detested Agency.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 25.—The Bauder detective agency, composed of J. D. Bauder and five other detectives, has been found guilty of blackmailing unfortunates through dealers of large sums of money to prevent the filing of information against said liquor dealers.

## FINISHED THEIR WORK.

End of the Episcopal Conference at New York.

### THE TRIENNIAL PASTORAL LETTER.

Rev. John Nicholas Gallagher, Bishop of Louisiana, Reads the Document—The Modern System of Education—What the Letter Says Upon Civil Service Reform—The Industrial Issue.

New York, Oct. 25.—The Protestant Episcopal general convention adjourned sine die Thursday night. The triennial pastoral letter was read in St. George's church by the Rev. John Nicholas Gallagher, bishop of Louisiana. All the bishops of the American church were on the platform, dressed in episcopate robes and the body of the church was crowded. Services were conducted by Bishop Williams, of Connecticut, assisted by Bishops Whitaker, of Pennsylvania, and Talbot, of Wyoming. The pastoral letter, after calling attention to the pension fund for disabled clergymen, referred to the modern system of education, on which subject it said: "Education points the way to a higher and nobler civilization. We cordially commend the system of inexpensive and admirable schools founded by the benefactor, whose incentive is not earthly honor and reward, but the blessing of the Kingdom of God. Divine success is wrought by self-abnegation."

### Civil Service Reform.

Upon civil service reform it says the church does not undertake the warfare of the partisan, but it would leave an important duty modern if it did not exercise a care for the political as well as the ecclesiastical welfare of the state. "It has come to pass that in the hour of party struggle the standards of political morality have been sensibly lowered, but purity and integrity in the administration of public affairs are strenuously demanded by the religion of the church as well as the patriotism of the land. Official place should not be won by vulgar incompetence. It is not the altar price paid for political influence. The honors of office are the legitimate recompense bestowed upon citizens who have served their state and should not be distributed among the corruptible."

### The Industrial Issue.

Touching the industrial issue the letter says: "It is painfully evident that the existing industrial system is not what it should be, as the despairing tones of those who have studied the subject convince. Many have come to look upon industry and humanity as a commercial commodity. Human sympathy is to be brought into play. Any social philosophy which eliminates the heart and soul of man from its doctrine is incomplete, and to act as if these were not used is unchristian as it is unwise. To discuss the moral and spiritual factors which enter into social and industrial questions is part of the exalted office of the church."

### False Doctrines.

Referring to false doctrines preached in the church, the letter repudiates peculiar doctrinal views presented by individuals claiming to be the voice of the church. The church should not be made responsible for unreasonable speculation both in the holy communion and other branches of the ritual. The letter closes with a passionate exhortation for the unity and loyalty of the people to the church.

### THE BURNING OF THE QUINTE.

Fears That Another Person Preached—The Hero of the Disaster.

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 25.—It is now feared that another name will have to be added to the list of those burned on the steamer Quinte. George Robinson, of Pictou, Ont., was to have taken the boat for that place and nothing can be learned of him. The hull and machinery of the lumber steamer will be raised, as she lies in only about four feet of water. Miss Kilar is suffering from the effects of the fire. She is recovering, the flesh being almost entirely restored from her burns. Mrs. Anderson's little son Johnny is the hero of the disaster. While clinging to a rope by the side of the burning boat he cried out: "Hang on, mamma, and we will be all right," frequently repeating this to encourage his mother.

### Mrs. Blaine Was Embarrassed.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 25.—Emmons Blaine and his bride are visiting Mr. Blaine. The secretary was showing them around the city Thursday and about 4 o'clock, just as the department clerks were released, they were standing at the entrance to the interior department looking at a large map of the United States. The lady, who had been introduced to the department people who were at them, Mrs. Emmons Blaine looked deeply and asked her husband to take her to their carriage, which was in waiting. They had difficulty in making their way through the crowd.

### The Husband Gets the Child.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Garrett, whose death sentence for killing her two-year-old child and its subsequent commutation to imprisonment for life, attracted so much attention a year ago, is about to lose the only child she had in her weary prison hours—her baby. It was born in jail while she was awaiting trial and had existed practically saved from the hands of the law. Her husband has secured a divorce from her and the custody of the child. It will nearly break her heart to part with it.

### Bayard's Coming Wedding.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 25.—Ex-Secretary of State Bayard has been here for a day or two calling on his friends. Miss Clymer, Society has been curious to know just when the wedding is to occur. Mr. Bayard went to New York Thursday, and Oct. 30, he delivers an oration at Wilmington, Del., on the life of Cesar Rodney, the signer of the declaration of independence. It was learned Thursday night that the wedding of Mr. Bayard and Miss Clymer will occur very shortly after this.

### A Strike Nearing an End.

EVANSTON, Ill., Oct. 25.—The switchmen's strike in the L. & N. and Nashville yards here is practically at an end. All trains were in and out on time and several extra freight trains were sent out in order to clear up the accumulated business. New switchmen are arriving on every incoming train, and some of the old ones have applied for their places and will doubtless go to work very soon.

### Sensational Attempt at Suicide.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 25.—Eli White, of Mooresville, shot himself on Kentucky avenue in this city Thursday morning in the presence of hundreds of people. After firing two 32-caliber bullets into his head he fought with a policeman for possession of the revolver to finish the job. Both of the bullets glanced, and he is now expected to live.

## TRAFFIC IN DEAD BODIES.

Serious Charges Against the Coroner at Helena, Mont.

HELENA, M. T., Oct. 25.—"Speculating with the dead" has become a professional business in Helena, and public indignation shows that an abominable traffic in dead bodies has been going on in Helena for some time. That the coroner has given the bodies under his charge to undertakers for burial for a financial consideration. A laborer working in a sewer was killed by the caving in of a large amount of dirt and rock Wednesday. The body was delivered to the Helena Undertaking company by order of Sergt. Nicholson, as there was no city morgue.

### Discovery of the Plot.

That official was reprimanded by the coroner, who insisted that all bodies subject to inquest should be sent first to the court house. This plan gives the coroner a better opportunity to select an undertaker in his own peculiar way. After a man was buried the undertaker sent a bill for funeral expenses. The coroner usually audited it, demanding a receipt for the body. The undertaker 2000, and in this way the plot was discovered. The development in this case will break up the system of disposing of dead bodies to the highest bidder for the privilege of burying them. Several other cases are being investigated.

### DAVITT STILL TALKING.

No Alliance Between the National League and Revolutionary Societies.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Resuming his speech before the Parliam commission Friday Michael Davitt declared that the landlord system ought to be abolished and the land vested in the state. The money raised in America for the benefit of the Irish cause, he said, was mainly contributed by Irish workmen and women.

Mr. Davitt denied the existence of an alliance between the National league or the Land league and any revolutionary organization. He said that he had been told that Piggott had confessed that the alleged Parliam letters were forgeries before that person testified. Presiding Justice Hannen said he could not accept such a statement without evidence to support it. Mr. Davitt, however, did not press it now, but the allegations would be proven later. Circulars issued by The Times were here produced to show that the documents purporting to prove an alliance between the league and revolutionary organizations were forgeries.

### Is Melton Playing a Game?

FABUS, N. D., Oct. 25.—Harry Melton, the night clerk in the post office is either playing a deep laid game or is the victim of bold burglars. Thursday midnight, he claims that being awake and by a nose he investigated with revolver in hand, was confronted by a man who shot at him four times at close range, once taking effect in his arm. The man jumped through a window, five bullets from Harry's pistol going after him. There is a growing belief that Harry himself is the real rogue and that he wounded himself to create sympathy. Post Office Inspector S. P. Childs is here investigating.

### A Murderer Attempts Suicide.

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 25.—William H. Bartholomew, in jail here for the murder of Aaron W. Dillard, made an unsuccessful attempt to hang himself Thursday night. He tied a towel about his throat and fastened one end to his door. He did not tie the towel to the door fast enough and when he put his weight upon it he fell to the floor. The towel caught in the door and he fell heavily. He was soon restored. Friday morning he asked to be taken to the cell occupied by Mrs. Dillard, but the latter refused to see him.

### Alleged Registration Frauds.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 25.—Reports are flying about the city hall giving a number of versions of a story of gigantic frauds in registration. The authorities are impressively silent when questioned about the matter, but admit that there is something in the story. It is said that Frank has been perpetrating frauds in the Sixth, Eighth, Ninth and Twenty-first wards, but that no arrests will be made until a day or two before the election.

### An Inventor Shoots Himself.

LAURENS, Mass., Oct. 25.—Joseph S. Bonney, aged 62 years, for thirty years a resident of this city and a well known inventor, shot himself through the heart Friday morning. He took a pistol ostensibly to clean it, but the wound is such as to preclude the theory of self-suicide. He was a prominent Mason and Old Fellow.

### Fighting at Samoa.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—A letter received from Apia reports the occurrence of a battle on the island of Savaii between the forces of Maitelia and Tammasea. A 1,000 men are said to have been engaged, but it is not known which party was victorious. Several men are said to have been killed and a large number wounded.

### Tired of Suffering Bad Health.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Sims O. Allen, aged 128 years, died here last Thursday night. He had been out of health for some time, and his physician told him yesterday that nothing could be done to improve his condition. He then bought a revolver and ended his life. He leaves a widow and a 10-year-old child.

### Child Agrees with Her Mother-in-Law.

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis., Oct. 25.—Thursday evening Mrs. George Jay committed suicide at the home of her father, J. E. Burgess, by taking strychnine. She was unable to agree with her mother-in-law and had had some unpleasant talk about it with her husband.

### Death of a Prominent Democrat.

HOMER, N. Y., Oct. 25.—William W. Brockway, one of the largest carriage manufacturers in the state, died Thursday night from Bright's disease, aged 61. He was a prominent member of the Democratic party.

### Fell from a Church Spire.

NEWPORT, Vt., Oct. 25.—George Sabourin, aged 21, a workman on the new Congregational church, fell eighty feet from the spire Friday morning and was fatally injured.

### Fire at Beaver Falls, Pa.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Oct. 25.—Thursday night buildings of the Flint Glass association were damaged between \$60,000 and \$70,000 by fire. Insurance, \$22,000.

### Sentenced to Death.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—McElvaine, the murderer of Grover Lucas, was Friday morning sentenced to be executed some day during the week beginning Dec. 9.

### Bradlaugh's Condition Serious.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Charles Bradlaugh passed a bad night, and his condition Friday was less favorable than Thursday.

## THEY ATE HUMAN FLESH

Horrible Story Told by Shipwrecked Sailors.

### A FAT MAN'S TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

Some of His Comrades in an Open Boat Tried to Kill Him So They Could Eat Him—Two Men Who Died From Hunger Got Up and Eaten by the Survivors—Terrible Tale of Suffering.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 25.—Carl Grave, Bremen, and Ludwig Loder, seamen, two survivors of the crew of the steamship Euterpe, told Thursday night a story, horrible in its details, of the way they sustained life by cannibalism, for days. Loder said: "The only food we had the first ten days in the boat was a flying fish and a few raw small sea tarts divided among eleven men. A seaman, caught me by the throat and made a dash at my head with a knife. He cut me on the right cheek, the scar from which still remains, as you will see. He was told to kill me by August Pegg, a German. When Pegg began to eat him, some of my companions caught him, but others shouted: 'Kill him; we want something to eat. We are starving!'"

### Loder Was Pretty Fat.

"It seems that Pegg, Davis, and others in one end of the boat had decided that I looked inviting. Pegg was placed on watch that night, but he was missing next morning. No one saw him go overboard. On the seventh day, William Robinson lay down to sleep. When they tried to call him they found him dead. It was determined to eat him, and William Wright, the cook, was ordered to carve the body. The first thing done was to smash in Robinson's skull and from the fracture each one sucked the blood as long as it would last, which was but a little while. Then the cook stripped the flesh from the ribs. The next day this flesh in strips was placed on top of the water-tight compartment and dried in the sun. Afterward they threw the mutilated body into the sea."

### Another Body Cut Up.

"Two days after Robinson's death, Third Engineer Thomas Hunt died. His body was also cut up for food. In about three days the limbs and feet of all began to swell and several have since broken out in ugly sores. We think it is poison from the human flesh and blood."

Both Grave and Loder say that they have no recollection of the taste of human flesh, and that they were not much affected at the time. Their only recollection of taking the flesh is feeling their own blood quicken as it coursed through their veins.

### Former Captain's Trial.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 25.—The "confession" of Collier is now the proof on which the great forgery case turns. Thursday afternoon and Friday morning the prosecution established the fact of the "confession" by Collier's own testimony. While the last witness of the four, W. B. Anderson, Blaisdell's son-in-law, was on the stand Friday morning the defense sprang its promised coup. From the cross-examination as well from a statement by Collier, it appears that the defense expect to prove that the "confession" was a prearranged scheme between Collier and Anderson to defraud Collier's creditors and to save Blaisdell's property from impending ruin.

### Pan-Americans at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 25.—It was a rather cold and damp day that the Pan-Americans spent in Minneapolis Friday, but the local committee continued to make it interesting for them. The party arrived from St. Louis at 10 a. m., and after a luncheon at the chamber of commerce they inspected the city's educational institutions, the flour and lumber mills, and were driven about the city. There was an elaborate lunch at the West hotel, and at night there was a dress reception at the same place, after which the party left for Sioux City.

### A Diamond Gets Off.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 25.—Chester S. Gould, an eccentric character of Moscow, this country, was tried here for bigamy Thursday. He is 37 years old, and has four wives, whom he acquired respectively in 1869, 1876, 1888, and 1890, the last at Waterbury, Conn. The judge dismissed the case, stating that, under the law of this state, no prosecution for bigamy can be maintained unless brought within two years of the offense. This outlines the first two cases, and the last was committed beyond the jurisdiction of the Pennsylvania courts.

### To Increase a Vessel's Speed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—A Washington dispatch says that an automatic contrivance is about to be applied to the new cruisers, whereby it is believed their boiler power and speed will be greatly increased beyond conventional requirements, and can even be doubled on spurts. It enables the engineer to keep the water at a low stage without danger of explosion, thus taking advantage of the principle that within certain limits, the less water there is in the boiler, the greater the steam power generated.

### Declines the Honor.

ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 25.—C. C. Cook, the colored student who was chosen as prize orator at Cornell, has declined the honor on the ground that he was nominated by a faculty of his best day. He has declined the honor. He appreciates the compliment sought to be paid him, but does not court notoriety, and in fact forbids the use of his name as soon as he learned what was contemplated, but it was too late to stop the election.

### A Disastrous Conflagration.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—A large proportion of the business part of Port Ley, Lewis county, a place of 1,200 inhabitants, was burned Friday morning, including the Douglas house, opera house, eight stores, the post office and several dwellings. Fifteen families lost their homes and much of their possessions. The fire was so rapid that the people had little time to save anything.

### Assault in the Third Degree.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Miss Emily Hawkins, principal of school No. 17, was arrested Thursday afternoon on a warrant charged with assault in the third degree. One day last week, for some unknown cause, she cruelly punished Alfred Pond, a pupil. It is said that young Pond was so severely and brutally whipped that he has been in great pain ever since.

### Oil Takes a Big Jump.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—This was great excitement on the consolidated stock and petroleum exchange Friday. Oil opened at 10 1/2 c's and in a short time jumped up to 10 3/4 c's, the highest figure reached for a long time. No failures were reported up to 1 o'clock.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Governor Lape, of Michigan, has ordered an investigation of the charges of drunkenness and official misconduct made by the board of supervisors of Ontonagon county against the Hon. Theobald Dreiss, judge of probate for that district.

The London mill and lumber yard of August Sides & Co., an elevator and coal warehouse owned by A. Cyprien & Co., two dwellings, railroad cars, docks, etc., were destroyed by fire at Port Clinton, Ohio, Wednesday night. The loss will reach \$100,000.

Robert Hunter, of Brazil, Ind., was discharged from the insane asylum Thursday, and will be once arrested for larceny, having one wife living in England and one at Brazil.

An English syndicate has been formed to build a bridge over the St. Lawrence river at Quebec and also a railroad on the north shore of Quebec to the state of New York. It is stated that the syndicate's capital at first paid up from return received for the first three quarters of the last six years the postal dividend for the year will not exceed \$3,000,000.

Freight rates on grain and flour to all eastern points are to be advanced on Nov. 15 2 1/2 cents.

Farmers in the vicinity of Canby, Ill., and in the northern and eastern portions of Hancock county are so troubled over the devastation of a locust that George W. Kald was arrested at Emporia, Kan., Thursday, charged with forging mortgages on farms and other property and selling the fraudulent papers.

The New York Conference of Christian Endeavor societies, now sitting at Saratoga, reports 610 societies with 23,918 members. The











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## MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1899.

### GENERAL AND PERSONAL.

"Cousin" to-night.  
W. H. Grubel was a visitor yesterday to Shelbyville.

James Freeman went to Chicago yesterday morning.

C. N. Twadell, of Lake City, was a Decatur visitor yesterday.

Dr. Tobey, of Pana, was calling yesterday on friends in Decatur.

Mrs. D. N. Moore has returned home from a visit at Jacksonville.

Mrs. S. B. Knight, of St. Louis, is the guest of Mrs. Albert Barnes.

Mrs. H. S. Clark went to St. Louis yesterday after a visit in Decatur.

Miss Eugenia Harris will return this morning to her home at Macon.

Major F. P. Wells returned yesterday morning from Springfield and Petersburg.

J. M. Brownback and wife, of Blue Mound, were at the St. Nicholas last night.

Attorneys Joe R. Barnes and J. M. Lee went to Niantic yesterday to try a whisky case.

Mrs. C. H. Ruby and daughter Miss Lena Ruby, were in Decatur yesterday from Macon.

Miss Luella Buckles returned yesterday to Illinois, after a visit here with different friends.

The Peace sisters left yesterday for Rochester, Ill., where they will give an entertainment.

The sale of seats for Robert Downing in "Count Chocula" begins this morning at the box office.

Mrs. Sae F. Olin left last night for Cincinnati, where she will visit her brother, Rev. J. G. Tyler.

C. R. Bacon, representing Rose Coghlan, who will play here Friday night, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. Nightingale, mother of Mrs. Dr. Catto, has returned to Decatur after a three-months visit in Canada.

Mrs. A. R. Beecher, son and daughter, left yesterday afternoon for a visit at Delavan, Peoria and Peoria.

Mrs. Hugh Mooney, Miss Peter Mooney and Mrs. Charles Connelley, residents of Niantic, were in Decatur Friday.

Miss Frank Johnson, of Baraboo, Wis., who has been visiting Milton Johnson and family, left for her home yesterday.

Miss Anna Grant, of Scranton, Pa., the guest of Mrs. Georgia Shibley, left yesterday morning for a visit at Clinton, Ill.

Miss Kate Willis, of Broken Bow, Neb., is in Decatur visiting her sisters, Mrs. T. W. Pinkerton and Mrs. R. H. Piche.

Rev. J. B. Burgess and Rev. A. C. Scott, U. B. ministers, will go to Randolph this morning to attend quarterly conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Haidy, who have been away on their bridal tour, are expected to return to the city this evening.

J. S. Frantz, Major Wood, Mel Bowman and E. E. Walker were residents of Corro Gordo who were visitors yesterday to Decatur.

Miss Jessie Conn, of Oakley, who has been visiting Miss May Gindol, returned home yesterday accompanied by her hostess.

Principal W. A. Edwards went to Peoria yesterday to attend a meeting of the Schoolmasters' club. Supt. Evans went on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Meyer, who has been the guest of M. Heilbrum and family for several days, went to Sullivan yesterday for a short visit.

Ex-Gov. and Mrs. Oglesby, of Elkhart, arrived in the city yesterday morning and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. McElroy.

Fredrick Clark, of Hubbell, Neb., was a guest yesterday of D. Patterson, on North Church street. He left in the afternoon for his home.

D. C. Corley and wife will leave this morning for Tower Hill, Ill., to visit Mr. Corley's mother. They will not return until next week.

Mrs. L. A. Hovey, who has been visiting her son, Ed Willis, on East Eldorado street, will return this morning to her home at Bloomington.

Charles E. Foxwell, publisher of The Casket, a paper for undertakers, at Rochester, N. Y., was in the city yesterday calling on some of our manufacturers.

Miss Augusta Westernman, who has been visiting her brothers, Fritz, Max and Julius, at Lincoln, Neb., for a month past, arrived home yesterday evening.

Mrs. E. B. Randall, of Paris, Ill., was the guest yesterday of S. M. Lutz and family. In the afternoon she went to Harrisburg, to visit her father, Mr. Stoukey.

Tom Fair, bookkeeper for the Boley Ice Co., left him away to Decatur this morning on business for the company. He will come back when he gets through. Just when that will be he doesn't know.—Pekin Post.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Boyd and daughters, Misses Sarah and Louie, returned last evening from their trip to Washington.

They also visited in Virginia, Philadelphia and New York, and were accompanied home by Mr. Boyd's aunt, Mrs. James Boyd, of Virginia.

E. Sturm and family were moving yesterday to Decatur from Clinton. Mrs. Sturm is the daughter of M. Heilbrum and the niece of B. Stine, and will take charge of the household affairs of that gentleman.

Mr. Sturm will close his business at Clinton about the first of January, and come to Decatur to go into the clothing store of Mr. Stine.

A rocky-looking individual, calling himself Rocky Mountain Joe, was about the city last night, trying to work the saloons for free drinks. He was ordered out of several places, and finally some one told him that the police were looking for him. Upon receiving this information he disappeared and has not been seen since.

A Finger Mashed.  
Charles O'Brien, aged 35, who is employed as a machinist at the Washburn round house, crushed the fore-finger of his right hand while taking off the brake from the tender of an engine at 4:30 yesterday afternoon. Dr. Hostetter dressed the wound, and O'Brien was taken to the hospital at Springfield. He will not be able to go to work for two weeks. He is unmarried.

Found a Cartridge.  
The little son of Wesley Jamieson, southeast of the city, found a loaded cartridge Thursday afternoon, and proceeded to have fun with it. He put the cartridge on a stone and began to pound it with a hammer. When it went off it took away the ball of the boy's thumb and a part of the palm of his hand. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth dressed the wound.

Expected To-Day.  
The Michigan hunting party is expected to arrive at home to-day.

### AN ELEGANT RECEPTION

Given by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bering to Their Son, Wilson, and Heir.

The fine, penetrating rain and the dense darkness last night may have made going to the reception at J. E. Bering's residence somewhat disagreeable, but it certainly added to the pleasure of the evening, once one had passed the broad portal and the heavy walnut and plate glass had shut out the inhospitable night. The many lights, from sparkling chandeliers, seemed all the more brilliant, the rich costumes of the ladies appeared all the more beautiful, and the bright faces were all the more charming for the rough weather that had been braved to become one of the brilliant company that assembled in those broad and spacious rooms.

The reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bering, to their son, Wilson M. Bering, and his bride, who were married Tuesday evening at Hillsboro. It was one of the most elegant and brilliant receptions that has been seen in Decatur in many a day. Two hundred and fifty invitations were issued, and fully two hundred were accepted.

As the carriages drove up to the stone steps, in front of the entrance, the doors were thrown open. Just inside the guests were met by three gentlemen, Messrs. Arthur Alexander, John Clugston, and Walter Strange, and by them conducted to the reception room. Here they were received by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bering, who were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson M. Bering, Miss Ade Glenn, Miss Helen, Miss Frances Grimes, Miss Belle Horrocks, Cyrus Randolph and Mr. Lee, of Wichita, Kan.

The reception room was elaborately decorated with cut flowers in which white and yellow predominated. Here plants, palms, chrysanthemums and night blooming cereus filled the corners and were placed elsewhere in the room. The perfume from the flowers and soft strains of delightful music from Prof. Bull's orchestra lulled the air, making the cordial words of greeting and the earnest congratulations to the newly married pair seemingly sweeter and more heartfelt.

Mrs. J. E. Bering received in a rich costume of black velvet, white lace and diamonds. Mrs. Wilson M. Bering wore the wedding dress of white tulle, trimmed with silk embroidery and lace, with diamonds for ornaments. Miss Glenn's dress was of white Henrietta cloth. She wore Jaqueline's lace. Miss Grimes was attired in blue China crepe with roses. Miss Belle Horrocks wore white India silk, with llama lace and roses.

Passing from the reception room the guests entered the large parlors, which were soon filled with a brilliant company. There were quite a number present from out of the city. Among them were Gov. and Mrs. Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gillett, and Miss Charlotte Gillett, of Elkhart, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Louise Jackson, of San Francisco, Cal.; Mrs. S. Allen, of Harrisburg, Pa.; Mrs. Ira Brown, of Tacoma; Miss Lillian Taylor, of Lafayette, Ind.; Mrs. W. Andrews, of Columbus, O.; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Knight, of St. Louis; Miss Vassar, of Haver, Ill.; and Col. Josiah, of Wichita, Kan.

The large dining room was most elaborately and tastefully decorated with flowers, in which white and yellow prevailed as in the other rooms. The rich green leaves of the ferns were used with excellent effect. Rare coffee, sandwiches, skillfully prepared salads, delicious cakes and loaves were faultlessly served during the evening by colored waiters.

The hours of the reception were from 8 to 12. The guests began arriving soon after the first hour, and the last hour found a goodly number just saying farewell to Mrs. Bering.

### RAILROAD ITEMS.

Master Mechanic Barnes, of Springfield, was here last night.

Frank Nicholson, a T. H. & P. brakeman, is taking a lay off.

Superintendent Goodrich, of Chicago, was in Decatur yesterday.

D. S. Ives, in-spector of the Washburn in the city yesterday afternoon.

Conductor Smith, of the Illinois Central local, is laying off Conductor Jerry O'Connor on his run.

General Superintendent H. J. Magee, went to St. Louis yesterday afternoon in his special car, 107.

During the year ending Sept. 30 the Northern Pacific purchased 92 heavy locomotives, 3,500 freight cars, and 49 passenger coaches.

The Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe now twice a week runs a fast special train from San Francisco, loaded with California products for eastern markets.

Conductor Jenkins and Conductor W. L. Kise, have exchanged runs for a time, so that Conductor Jenkins may run into St. Louis, where his sister is dangerously sick.

Several changes will be made in the road department of the yards of the Washburn to-day. Dan Fain, who has been foreman of the section men at the Springfield yards, will go back to Bennett A. H. Barclay, foreman of the extra gang, will take his place. J. E. Barclay, foreman of the extra gang at Corro Gordo, will come back to Decatur and take charge of the yards from the crossings west. M. Shea, who has been looking after that job, will become night watchman in the yards.

### WHI GO TO-DAY.

The Missouri hunting party has not gone yet, but it expects to leave this afternoon. A dispatch was received last night from Capt. Bingham and Thomas Lord, telling them to come to a point on the St. Francis river, where the hunting is good. John R. Miller and wife and Mrs. W. E. Bingham have decided not to go with the party, as the fishing is not so good there as it is on the Black River, at the place first thought of for camping.

### Deaths.

Harry, the two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Langfield, died at 2:30 Friday morning, after a short illness with diphtheria. The funeral will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock to-day.

Mrs. Eliza Floyd, 67 years old, died yesterday of an attack of St. Louis gas at 4:54 West Corro Gordo street. The funeral will be held at 3 to-day. The services will be conducted by Mrs. Hamilton.

### White sea.

Constant Harry Midfield was serving subpoenas yesterday on several witnesses to appear at the St. Clair county court and testify in the case of an East St. Louis girl against Jacob Weisguth. The funeral will be held at 3 to-day. The services will be conducted by Mrs. Hamilton.

### A Juvenile Temple.

A. F. Smith and members of the Faithful Lodge of Good Templars, will hold a meeting in their hall over Foster's store on North Water street to-day at 2:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a juvenile temple. Parents and children are requested to attend.

### The Opening.

The directory of the Calumet club met last night at the rooms, and decided to have the formal opening reception on Thursday evening, Nov. 7.

### Editor Lindsay Locked Up.

The key was turned on him yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, and the confinement was entirely without due process of law. It was clearly unconstitutional and we may expect to hear some editorial fulminations in the next issue of the Bulletin that will cause a miniature earthquake on the south side of the park. Of course it must be inferred that Mr. Lindsay is now at liberty, but the galling fact that he was locked up remains to haunt with baleful memories his erstwhile peaceful slumbers.

The way it happened was thus: Editor Lindsay was engaged in constructing one of his powerful arguments on the infidelity of the South Webster street paving assessment, and desiring to post himself more thoroughly on some incidental question of law that was involved in the subject, he called upon his friend Master in Chancery James J. Finn. That gentleman was busily engaged in taking some depositions, but he bade the editor welcome and told him to go into an inner room where his library was stored, and delve to his heart's content in the mystery of the law.

An hour passed by and the editor was so intensely interested in his investigation, that not a whisper had escaped from the inner sanctuary. In the mean time the master in chancery had concluded his labors, and having duties elsewhere, he locked his office and departed, serenely forgetful of the fact that behind the hall he turned was incarcerated the editor, as yet so deeply engaged in the legal studies, that he didn't hear the door close.

Half an hour later he awoke to his surroundings. He sought for Finn, but no Finn was to be seen. He tried the door. It was locked. He opened the window and gazed with a shudder of horror at the awful hap below. By this time swift darkness was fast enveloping the earth with her mantle of gloom, and Editor Lindsay began to despair of being able to attract anybody's attention to his awkward predicament, when suddenly a welcome step was heard on the stairway, and as a key was heard to turn in the lock, John's breast leaped for joy. It was the master in chancery. Editor Lindsay was so happy that he didn't stop to ask how Finn happened to come back to his office, but went down those stairs at a rate that would have discouraged Axiel, and was speedily lost in the gloaming.

### PLANTING BLACK WALNUTS.

B. J. Gifford Putting Many Bushes Under the Ground in Vermilion and Champaign Counties.

Black walnut, formerly of Rantoul, has begun to plant walnuts extensively this fall on his farm lands in Champaign and Vermilion counties. The sale of lumber from a neglected walnut grove some years ago, opened his eyes to the value of this species of timber, and this year he is planting double rows on each side of the ditches and in the unused corners on his farms. About 400 bushes of the nut will be planted on his 700 acres in Champaign county, and 80 bushes or more on the 220 acres of his possessions in the Vermilion swampy. The planting of walnuts has prevailed in some parts of Illinois quite extensively of late years, since the great demand at home and in foreign countries has depleted the walnut timber of our groves and forests. Dr. Schroder, of this city, was one of the first to recognize the fact that planting of walnuts was sure to result in a heavy profit, and thousands of young trees upon his place east of the city, "Village Marie," attest to his faith in the plan. The doctor has planted many acres in walnut, sugar and strawberries, insuring a goodly income for the present and a fortune in 20 years for those who may inherit his possessions, if indeed he is not alive and bustling when that time comes. Many thousands of dollars worth of walnut logs have within the past 10 years been sold from the woodlands of McLean county, and the demand for the wood, which practically subsided for a time, is as brisk as ever. Black walnut, as an ornamental wood, cannot be superseded.

### The Temperance Meeting.

The meeting at College Street chapel was not quite so largely attended last night as on previous evenings, but it was said by those there to be the best meeting yet held. The principal address was made by T. J. McDermott, who took as his subject, "The Temperance Link in the Chain of the Christian Life." He made the christian voter responsible for the saloons. Fifteen minute speeches were made by H. H. Hieck, John Stickle, W. E. Mann. The choir sang several songs. Twelve or 15 persons signed the pledge.

To-night Mr. McDermott, Rev. Penhalligon and probably other will speak. The street car which left the old square at 7:15 and took out and brought back a load will leave the same place at the same hour to-night.

### Stricken With Paralysis.

George Weiss, 70 years of age, was stricken with paralysis at his home, 214 West Main street, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was no one in the room, and when he was discovered he was prostrate on the floor. He had been putting up a stove pipe, and in falling he narrowly escaped striking his head on the stove. Dr. H. D. Heil was called in and discovered that the lower extremities were totally paralyzed. His speech is also affected, and as he is so advanced in years, there is no chance for his recovery, though he may linger for several days. Mr. Weiss is the father of Mrs. Fred Miller.

### Crossings.

The electricians of the Citizens Electric railway went to work at 12 o'clock Thursday night, putting in the new overhead crossings in the trolley wire on Lincoln Square. By the time for business to commence Friday morning, they had one crossing in place on the east side of the square. It works well. The wires cross at a level, but are insulated by a fiber board, while the current is carried over the crossing by an overhead wire.

### Reformation.

The Lutheran church has designated the Sunday preceding Oct. 31st as Reformation Sunday. Next Sunday being that day, Rev. M. L. Wagner will preach on Modern Reformation contrasted with True Reformation. This subject is of vital interest and importance, and its discussion should be listened to by all interested in reformation.

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### WHAT THE MARKET OFFERS.

Still a Good Supply of Fruits and Vegetables.

The markets have not changed materially in the last week, though there are fewer fruits offered now than then. Peaches have disappeared and pears are going. Grapes from New York and California are offered in good supply. Apples are plentiful and cheap. There will not be any trouble about getting a good store for winter use, but the price may be a trifle high, as they all must come from abroad. Those grown around here are not in good condition for keeping. Dried and evaporated fruits will soon be offered by the dealers. They say the prices this winter will be high, as will also those of canned fruits. Peaches especially will be scarce and can only be had for a good price.

Vegetables generally are lower. Eggs are very scarce and higher. It is doubtful if the supply will last the day out. Chickens, too, are going up, and are scarce. Country butter of best quality is in good supply. Besides chickens, but little poultry is offered, but it is expected that another week will see more coming in. Of course, there is none yet in our market, and 1st- and 2d-ers are about the same both as regards supply and price that they have been.

The prices below are quoted by our best dealers:

Fruits—Oranges, 50c; bananas 10 to 20c; lemons 20 to 25c; apples, 10c to 20c a pk.; grapes, New York Concord, 10c a lb.; or 50c a basket; New York Catawbas, 10c a lb. or 50c a basket; California, 10c a lb., or 60c a basket; nominal basket; pears, 60c a pk.; cranberries, 12 to 15c and 17c a pk.

Evaporated Fruits—Apples, 10c; pears, 15c; apricots, 20c; raspberries, 25c; pitted plums, 20c; blackberries, 12c; peaches, pitted, 25c; unpitted 20c; pitted cherries, 25c; prunes, 20c.

Dried Fruits—California prunes, 10c; French prunes, 15c; Turkish prunes, 6c; citron, 30c; raisins, 10 to 25c a lb.; currants, 8c to 10c; apples, 8c; figs, 10c to 25c; dates, 10c; California grapes, 5c; California small dried peaches, 20c.

Vegetables—Cabbages, 5 to 10c a head; Irish potatoes, 15c a pk.; 50c a lb.; sweet potatoes, 50c a pk. for a Jersey, 20c a pk. for home grown Hubbard squash, 5 to 10c each; marrowfat squash, 5 to 10c each; pumpkins, 5c to 15c; beets, 15c a pk.; cukes, 20c a pk.; turnips, 10c a pk.; celery, 5c a stalk; carrots, 20c a pk.; parsnips, 20c a pk.; dried lima beans, 10c a lb.; 3 for 25c; white beans, 5c a lb.; 6 for 25c; 10c, 8c a lb.

Eggs—40c doz.

Chickens—Live, 30 to 35c each; dressed, 35 to 40c each.

Dairy Products—Country butter, 10c; creamery, 25c; butterfat, 20c.

Cheese—Swiss, 50c a cent; Standard, 40c a cent; bulk, 40c a pk.

Fish—Lake trout, 12c a lb.; bass, 10c a lb.; white fish, 12c a lb.; catfish, 12c a lb.; buffalo, 8c a lb.

Flour—Prices are for 50 lb. sacks. White Lead and White Flour, \$1.40; Merit and Daily Bread, \$1.25; Pillsbury's Best, \$1.35; Meal, 6c a bushel. Graham, 35c for 12 1/2 pound sacks. Rye flour, 4c a pound.

Cheese—Imported Swiss, 50c to 60c a lb.; domestic, 45c; pineapple, 50c and \$1.25 each; Edam, \$1.25 each; full cream cheese, 15 to 20c a lb.; Limburger cheese, 25c a pound.

Miscellaneous—Hickory nuts, 30c to 50c a pk.; butternuts, 20c a pk.; walnuts, 15c a pk.; chestnuts, 20c a lb.; dried sage, 5c a bunch; pop corn, 5c a lb.; graded horse-radish, 5c and 10c a glass.

### Born.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mann, at 837 South Colfax street, on Friday, Oct. 25.

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